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**MEETING PLANNED TO HEAR OPINIONS ON FUTURE OF
EVANS PARKWAY NEIGHBORHOOD PARK**

SILVER SPRING, MD -- The Montgomery County Department of Parks will hold a community meeting on Thursday, March 2 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Sligo-Dennis Avenue Recreation Center, 10200 Sligo Creek Parkway to discuss potential plans to renovate Evans Parkway Neighborhood Park in Silver Spring. The park has not had a major renovation in many years.

Currently the park, located at 2001 Evans Parkway in Silver Spring, features a playground, basketball court, open field area and two tennis courts. The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission acquired the 5.1-acre park in 1954.

Park staff will provide a brief report on the current park and discuss two preliminary ideas for renovating the park. Plans may include adding decorative paving, a gazebo and picnic area.

Two proposed alternative designs, formal and informal, have been developed. For more information or submittal of comments separately from the meeting, please contact Parviz Izadjoo, Project Manager, Department of Park and Planning, 301/650-2893 or Parviz.Izadjoo@mncppc-mc.org or Ellen Masciocchi, Planner Coordinator, 301/650-2867 or Ellen.Masciocchi@mncppc-mc.org.

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